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FRANKFURT FOR RSS

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: ASEC, PINS  
SUBJECT: POSSIBLE SURVEILLANCE OF USNATO CHARGE STREATOR  
RESIDENCE

1. AT ABOUT 1130 A.M. ON 29 FEBRUARY , A VEHICLE CONTAINING  
FOUR SWARTHY MALE OCCUPANTS (ABOUT 30 YEARS OF AGE) DROVE  
PAST USNATO CHARGE STREATOR'S RESIDENCE AT 59 ROUTE GOUVERN-  
MENTALE. THE VEHICLE SLOWED PERCEPTIBLY AS IT PASSED THE  
STREATOR RESIDENCE AND THE OCCUPANTS CAREFULLY OBSERVED THE  
HOUSE. THE CAR THEN TURNED THE CORNER AND STOPPED. TWO OF  
THE MEN GOT OUT OF THE CAR AND LOOKED THROUGH THE SURROUNDING  
BUSHES AT THE HOUSE. SHORTLY THEREAFTER, TWO OBSERVERS  
RETURNED TO THEIR VEHICLE AND DEPARTED.

2. THE INCIDENT DESCRIBED ABOVE WAS OBSERVED BY TIMOTHY  
TOWELL, AN EMBASSY POLITICAL OFFICER, WHO WAS A GUEST AT THE  
STREATOR RESIDENCE AT THAT TIME AND WHOSE PRESENCE IN THE  
GARDEN WAS APPARENTLY UNOBSERVED BY THE VEHICLE OCCUPANTS.  
MR. TOWELL NOTED THE LICENSE PLATE NUMBER WHICH WAS  
SUBSEQUENTLY PROVIDED TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES BY THE RSO.

3. WE HAVE BEEN ADVISED THAT THIS LICENSE PLATE NUMBER  
SHOULD BE ATTACHED TO A FIAT 124. A CHECK WITH A LOCAL  
DEALER REVEALED THAT THE FIAT COME IN 4-DOOR AND COUPE  
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MODELS BUT TOWELL WHO WAS PREVIOUSLY OWNED FIATS BELIEVES

THAT THE VEHICLE INVOLVED IN THIS INCIDENT WAS NOT A FIAT BUT RATHER A TWO-DOOR SEDAN POSSIBLY AN OPEL OR A FORD.

4 RSO IS MOST CONCERNED ABOUT THIS INCIDENT SINCE IT IS SIMILAR TO POSSIBLE VEHICULAR SURVEILLANCES DURING THE PREVIOUS SIX MONTHS AT THE RESIDENCES OF SEVERAL OTHER SENIOR US OFFICIALS RESIDING IN THE GENERAL AREA INCLUDING GENERAL KISSINGER AND ADMIRAL WEINEL.

5. PROTECTIVE COVERAGE HAS BEEN AFFORDED THE STREATOR RESIDENCE AND WE HOPE TO RECEIVE THE RESULTS OF THE GOB INVESTIGATION CONCERNING THIS MATTER VERY SOON.

6. ANY FURTHER INFORMATION WILL BE FORWARDED ASAP.  
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